



## COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

September 17, 2007

AUDREY P. BECK BUILDING

6:30 PM

Room B

Chairman Bruce Clouette called the meeting to order.

Present were Bruce Clouette and Al Hawkins.

The minutes of the August 20, 2007 meeting were approved as presented.

Members discussed their participation at the Know Your Town Fair and the Festival on the Green. Applications and information on volunteer opportunities within Town were distributed. Four applications were submitted at the events and many more were taken home. The Town Clerk will send letters of acknowledgement to the applicants and appointments will be considered at the next meeting.

The proposed changes to the by-laws of the Mansfield Advocates for Children were discussed with members agreeing to review them prior to the next meeting. By consensus it was agreed that whenever possible term limits should be standardized at 3 years. Mr. Clouette will contact Sandy Baxter regarding the Committee's deliberations. Members will also review the Charter regarding the policy on missing meetings.

Mr. Clouette has contacted Isabelle Atwood regarding the Beautification Committee and she suggested Richard Noorgard as a potential member. Bruce will contact him and call the other expired members of the Committee.

Mr. Clouette will fax the information from the Commission on Aging to Mr. Hawkins and if all are in agreement those nominations will be presented at the next Council meeting.

Members discussed the Board of Ethics and determined that after new members are appointed the Board should meet and maybe CCM could hold a workshop for the members. There was also a question whether or not this Board was established by state statute. The Town Clerk will ask the Town Attorney.

By consensus the following nominations will be presented to the Town Council for approval:

David Silsbee to the Parks Advisory  
Susan Harrington to the Parks Advisory  
Richard Pellegrine to the Housing Code Board

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

Mary Stanton, Town Clerk